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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Negro who assaulted and murdered the wife of a prominent citizen of Corinth, Miss., was captured and burned at the stake. —— Another operation was performed on the abscess on President Roosevelt's left leg. —— The Consolidated Naval Stores Company will be incorporated in Jacksonville, Fla., with a capital of $3,000,000. —— Two trainmen killed in a freight wreck on the N. & W. railroad, near Roanoke, Va. —— Seven negroes arrested in Indianapolis for robbing in cemeteries. —— Call money in New York yesterday advanced to 35 per cent.; there was a slump in stocks, net losses ranging from two to ten per cent. —— Five hundred persons are reported to have been drowned by a tidal wave on the coast of Japan. —— The Democratic State Convention of New York meets to-day at Saratoga; the nominee for Governor, it is thought, will be J. Alston Parker, of Ulster, or Bird S. Coler, of New York. —— No strike disturbances in Lackawanna county, Pa., yesterday; there are 1,200 militia men encamped in the county. —— Strike of employes of street car lines in New Orleans continues; all electrical workers have been called out. —— Police reserves were called out in New York last night to suppress a riot between rival factions near the Chinese quarter. —— Minister Bowen, at Caracas, Venezuela, suggests that a United States warship be sent to that place. —— N. Y. markets: Money on call 12@35 per cent.; cotton quiet at 9c; flour easy and lower; wheat—spot easy; No. 2 red 73½c; oats—spot quiet; corn—spot steady, No. 2 67½c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine steady at 50@50½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 29.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 65 degrees; 8 P. M., 75 degrees; maximum, 81 degrees; minimum, 62 degrees; mean, 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 3.51.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. Sunday, 8.5 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

No decided temperature changes have occurred during the past 24 hours. Rains have been general from Georgia westward to Texas.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday, except showers in west portion; Wednesday showers, with cooler in eastern portion; light variable winds, becoming fresh south.

Port Almanac---September 30.

Sun Rises	5.53 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.46 P. M.
Day's Length	11 H. 56 M.
High Water at Southport	7.02 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	9.32 P. M.

The Republican's of Speaker Henderson's district, in Iowa, have put up Judge Birdsall for Uncle Horace Boies to pop at.

It is said that Uncle Oom Paul has become home-sick and wants to to trek back to the Transvaal. And beer is a dollar a bottle there, too.

Last year Irish potatoes were bringing a dollar a bushel. Now they are selling at twenty-five cents in the West. Where is the Dingley tariff?

Judge Hogan, of Valparaiso, Ind., is said to have smoked from 8 to 25 cigars a day since boyhood, at an estimated cost, since he began, of $28,000. And still he lives and smokes.

Hard coal is "out of sight" in Baltimore and soft coal has gone up 50 cents a ton by the car load and hard to get at that, almost as scarce as hard coal. That's hard on everybody but the fellows who have coal to sell.

Speaking of the coal famine the New York *Herald* says there are at least twenty millions of people who are dependent upon the coal mines of Pennsylvania for their fuel. Are not these twenty millions entitled to some consideration?

The Crown Prince of Siam, who will soon visit this country, has several names at home, but the one he has picked out to label himself while here is Chuwia Maha Vajeravudh. He didn't invent that name himself but inherited it.

The convention which nominated a candidate for Congress in place of Speaker Henderson, declined, issued the following on the tariff plank of the Iowa Republican platform: "We deny that the Dingley tariff breeds or shelters trusts. We interpret the tariff plank in the Des Moines platform of 1902 to be nearly a reiteration of and to mean no more than the St. Louis plank of 1896." As to meaning no more they were frank and doubtless correct. It was merely to fool voters.

COTTON CONTINUES.

Receipts Still Heavy and Far Past All Records at the Port of Wilmington.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS.

Two Came for Cargoes and One Departed for Bremen—News of a Day Along the Water Front—Oil Barge from New York.

Cotton receipts yesterday were 5,301 bales, against 1,897 bales on the same date last year. The weather has continued very fine for picking, and growers are rushing the staple to the market; all of it in fine condition and grade. It is said that very little, if any, "storm cotton" has been on the market this season. Reports from the country are that in some sections practically all the crop is gathered and is on its way to market. The crop has certainly been gathered and hustled to market at a very lively clip this season. Meanwhile Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son have been quite equal to the emergency, and with both their compresses running daily and a part of each night, they have contributed much to making the cotton season at Wilmington this year a record-breaker. Seven big tramp steamers are lying at their compress wharves for cargoes and others are yet on the way. Two of the tramps arrived Sunday. They are the *Acacia*, 1,847 tons, Capt. A. Whyte, from Baltimore, and the *Baron Eldon*, 2,385 tons, Capt. J. Ullstrom, from Norfolk. The seventh cargo of cotton from the port this season is aboard the British steamer *Gladestry*, Capt. Lawson, which sails this morning for Bremen. The cargo consists of 7,672 bales, valued at $329,200.

The Fayetteville *Observer*, says that Mr. L. L. Moss, of Fayetteville, who will be engineer on the new steamer *City of Fayetteville*, left Saturday night for Jacksonville for the purpose of examining the boilers, which have just been put in, and witnessing the trial trip. After a satisfactory test is made Mr. Moses will bring the new steamer to Wilmington and then take her up the river to Fayetteville where her new furnishings will be put in by Lord & Taylor, of New York.

The following shipping memoranda was received by the Chamber of Commerce from Southport yesterday: British steamer *Vauxhall Bridge* passed out at 6 P. M. Saturday. British steamer *Baron Eldon* passed up at 7 A. M. Sunday. New York steamer passed out 9 A. M. Sunday. Standard Oil barge and tug passed up at 1 P. M. Sunday. British steamer *Acacia* passed up at 2 P. M. Sunday.

A small gasolene launch has been purchased by General Manager Skelding, of the C. R, L. & P. Company to be used in looking after the wood supply and other business for the company along the water front. The launch is 21 feet over all, has a 3 H. P. engine and has a speed of about 6 miles an hour. It will comfortably carry about half a dozen persons.

With a rise in the river, steamboat traffic has resumed. The *Highlander* came down Sunday from Willis' Creek with a tremendous cargo of general merchandise and expected to clear last night for Fayetteville. The *Hawes* is now on the way to Fayetteville.

The small steamer *F. and F.* belonging to Capt. Walter Taft, sunk at her wharf between Market and Dock streets during Saturday night. The Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Company has been engaged to float her. Only the smokestack was above the water yesterday.

British steamer *Valetta*, 1,937 tons, McMoran, sailed from Norfolk to Wilmington Saturday. Norwegian steamer *Europa*, 652 tons, Sundt, sailed from New York Sunday for Wilmington.

The tug *Standard*, towing Standard Oil Barge No 57 from New York, arrived yesterday with a supply of oil and other products for the local branch of the company and will proceed today.

British steamer *Plympton*, 1,850 tons, Capt. Moon, has sailed from Shields, and the British steamer *Ixia*, 1,254 tons, Capt Rutherford, from Huelva, has sailed for this port.

The naval store market had a day off yesterday. There was "nothing doing" in spirits and rosin. The receipts, however, were 84 casks and 309 barrels, respectively.

The Clyde steamship *Saginaw* will be a day late in arriving this week. The delay was in leaving New York.

Schooner *City of Baltimore* has been chartered to load lumber here for a West Indian port.

Norwegian barque *Hutitu*, 627 tons, sailed from Bristol Sept. 10th for Wilmington.

Enlarging Their Store.

Messrs. J. H. Rehder & Co. are completing a handsome little addition, 25x47 feet in size, to their already large department store at 319 North Fourth street. The addition has a tin roof and conforms to the architecture of the present building.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

M. Braddy—Millinery Emporium,
Academy of Music—Runaway Match

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Three or four rooms.
Alfed H. Yopp—Piano Lessons.

OPENING RECEPTION AT THE Y. M. C. ASSOCIATION.

Delightful Social Affair to Be Given Tomorrow Night---Programme of Music Ladies' Auxiliary to Assist.

The Young Men's Christian Association has issued hundreds of invitations to its friends, and to large numbers of the strange young men in the city, to attend the first of a series of social functions to be held during the Winter. This event will be the opening reception Wednesday night and it will be one of the best held for some time.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will furnish refreshments in their usual bountiful manner.

The musical programme will be provided by Miss Cannie Chasten and her reputation for furnishing the very best that can be secured in the city will not suffer on this occasion. The programme will be as follows:

1. Vocal solo—Mrs. Samuel Jennings Springer.
2. Violin solo—Miss Norma Foster.
3. Quartette—Baptist Church Choir.
4. Piano solo—Miss Fannie Corbett.

There will be a short address by the General Secretary on "Some Points in Association History;" also an outline of the work planned for the local Association for the coming Winter.

SAD DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Those That Occurred Sunday and Yesterday in Various Sections of the City.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary R. Sellers, relict of the late R. L. Sellers, who died Saturday night, was conducted Sunday morning by the Rev. John H. Hall, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. church, from the residence, Sixth between Chesnut and Mulberry streets. The interment was in Oakdale and the following acted as pall-bearers: Capt. Thos. Taylor and Messrs. M. Marshburn, Jno. W. Hewett and A. W. Watson.

Mrs. W. H. Blake, the young wife of a well known carpenter of Wilmington, died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock of typhoid fever at the family residence, No. 706 South Seventh street. Deceased was just 21 years of age and was a lady of many estimable qualities. The remains were sent Sunday afternoon by private conveyance to Cronly for interment.

Mrs. Bertie May Goins, wife of Mr. L. G. Goins, No. 903 South Second street, passed away Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, aged 30 years. She leaves a devoted husband and one child. The funeral took place from the residence at 2 P. M. yesterday and was conducted by Rev. J. P. King. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. W. Knowles, J. S. Wagoner, R. H. Iszell, E. Stevenson, G. R. Rogers and Nick Justice. The remains were laid to rest in Bellevue.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Prof. Alfred H. Yopp will reopen his piano, harmony and theory classes Oct. 1st.

— Two competent newspaper compositors are wanted immediately at the STAR office. Satisfactory recommendations required.

— A crazy negro stevedore deliberately walked off the wharf at the Wlmington Compress into 25 feet of water yesterday morning. He splashed around and managed to get ashore, but gave no reason for his fool-hardy act.

— Cranks are still interrogating the horse editor as to the prospects for baseball next season. They remind the h. e. of those Democrats in East Tennessee who have never heard of Andrew Jackson's death and who still vote for him for President.

— Copy for the official advertisement of the time and place for registration did not reach this office until 2 o'clock this morning; therefore, publication is necessarily deferred until tomorrow. The substance of the notice, however, was given in the local columns of this paper some time ago.

BLACK PATTI'S TROUBADOURS.

Proved Themselves Excellent Entertainers and Played to an Immense Audience.

Black Patti's Troubadours last night played to not only one of the largest audiences in the history of the local theatre but to one of the largest by which the company has been greeted in the South this season. Every part of the theatre was crowded and the old stereoptyped phrase, "standing room was at a premium," proved literally true. The attendance was larger financially by $200 than at any point in the State and the Troubadours have been to all the larger cities and towns.

And the show was a good one, too. It is even better than it was the past several seasons. The singing and dancing features were tip-top and as colored entertainers the aggregation simply can't be beat.

Half the lower floor was reserved for whites and separate entrances were provided for the race. The matinee yesterday afternoon was dispensed with owing to the slight illness of Black Patti.

The company leaves this morning on its private car for Florence, S.C.

Couldn't Give Peace Bond.

Ed. Jackson, colored, was committed to the county roads yesterday by Justice Fowler in default of $25 bond to keep the peace toward Robert Manning, colored, a butcher in Front street market, whom Jackson threatened to shoot because he believed Manning to have been responsible for the alienation of the affections of his wife. Jackson was taken out to the roads yesterday afternoon with three of the convicts brought up from Southport Saturday.

RAILROADS ANSWER.

Reply to Bill in Equity to Enforce Order of Commerce Commission.

IN THE FEDERAL COURT.

Twenty-four Railways, Through Special Counsel, Say the Rule is Illegal and Void, Hence the Disobeyance. C. & O. Files Demurrer.

Twenty-four defendant railway companies, including the Atlantic Coast Line, Southern, and Seaboard Air Line, yesterday filed in the United States Court here a joint answer to the recent bill in equity of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, which seeks by the action to enforce its order of May 7th, 1902, in the case of the Wilmington Tariff Association against these roads to correct alleged unjust discrimination in favor of Norfolk, Richmond and other points in Virginia in the way of freight rates from the West.

It will be remembered that the decision was in favor of the Tariff Association, and an order to that effect was issued, but the Commerce Commission found itself powerless to enforce the rule and the aid of the Federal Court was invoked.

The defendants, in their answer to the bill of complaint filed by Special Counsel Ed. Baxter, of Nashville, Tenn., admit most of the allegations of the Commission, but they deny that at any time the complainant *duly* determined the matter in controversy. They also deny that the order was in conformity with the conclusions of the commission as set forth in its report and opinion. The defendants also admit that the order was directed to them and that it ordered them to cease and desist from certain alleged violations of the "Act to Regulate Commerce," but they deny that the order now remains in full force and effect; because they say that said order is illegal and void; wherefore the complaint having been fully answered, respondents pray to be "hence dismissed with the reasonable costs in this behalf expended."

Section 1 of the answer is devoted to naming the defendant roads and defining the location of their headquarters. As to the other railway companies named in the complaint, the respondents aver they have no knowledge, information or belief as to the States by which they were chartered or as to where their principal offices are located.

Section 2 of the answer admits that the defendants are common carriers engaged in the transportation of persons and property by railroad under certain joint through rates, and as members of continuous through lines between points in different States of the United States, and that the defendants or respondents were so engaged in such transportation from East St. Louis and Chicago in Illinois and St. Louis, Mo., and other western points to Wilmington, N. C, Norfolk and other points of Virginia.

Section 3 admits the suit of the Wilmington Tariff Association, and Sections 4 and 5 recites a history of the original proceeding.

Section 6 denies that on Dec. 17th, 1901, or at any other time, the complainant duly determined the matter and things in controvery between said parties before it; but the respondents claim that the complainant made a report in writing in respect of said matters setting forth the conclusions reached by complainant, and also certain alleged finding of fact, upon which said conclusions were claimed to be based; as at large and more fully appears in and by the report of the complainant itself.

In Section 7 the respondents admit that after the determination of the matters and on or about May 7th, 1902, complainant formulated an order, a copy of which is annexed to and made a part of the bill, but respondents deny that said order was duly formulated, and they deny that said order was made in conformity with the conclusions of complainant as set forth in its report and opinion, a copy of which is made a part of the bill of complaint. Respondents further admit that the said order was directed to them, etc., but its disobeyance is justified as set forth above, viz: Because said order is illegal and void.

The remaining sections of the answer set forth that the rates from the West are justified and reasonable and that there is not the discrimination attributed to the respondents.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, through General Solicitor H. T. Wickham, of Richmond, files a seperate demurrer and answer of the same tenor, except that the demurrer sets forth that the complaint is not sufficient in law, and that so far as the demurrant is concerned its rates are reasonable and just in the premises.

The suit promises to be an exceedingly interesting one, as it will prescribe the exact powers of the Commerce Commission, for the enlargement of which numerous trades bodies all over the country have been petitioning Congress. The final adjudication will perhaps be in the highest tribunal in the land.

— The following were guests at The Orton Sunday and yesterday: B. F. Boon and W. A. Mills, Clarkton; Chas. A. Gibbons, Fair Bluff; J. H. Yelverton, Fremont; W. R. Bonsal, Hamlet; T. R. Powers, Charlotte; M. T. Craig, Southport; W. P. Dillon, Greensboro; A. W. McLean, Lumberton; Geo. D. Boyd, Charlotte; R. H. Brown, Topsail Sound.

FIFTH ST. CONGREGATION TO HAVE A JUBILEE.

Church Will Celebrate Its Deliverance from Debt—Bishop Wilson Will Preach Sunday.

Beginning to-morrow night the congregation of Fifth Street M. E. church, headed by its devoted and consecrated pastor, the Rev. John H. Hall, will enter upon a season of jubilee in celebration of the church's deliverance from a very onerous and unfortunate debt, under which it has been laboring for a term of years. It is unnecessary to go into a history of the financial affairs of the church or the valiant work accomplished by this noble band of people in freeing themselves of every obligation.

It will be a series of spiritual and temporal rejoicing. Rev. D. H. Tuttle will conduct the opening service to-morrow night, and on Thursday and Friday nights following there will be special services of joy and gladness.

Sunday morning and evening Bishop Wilson, of Baltimore, will conduct services, and these sermons will be a fitting climax to the preceding meetings. Bishop Wilson is a very deep and powerful man. He will be heard with pleasure. The people of Wilmington, irrespective of denomination or creed, are respectfully invited to hear him upon the closing day of the half week's jubilee.

"A RUNAWAY MATCH" COMING.

Sparkling Modern Comedy at the Academy of Music Thursday Night.

Thursday night the bright, modern comedy, "A Runaway Match", will hold down the boards at the Academy. The piece is being presented by a most capable company and it is interspersed with high class specialties.

Of the play and players the Danville (Va.) Register recently said:

"There was a fair-sized audience at the Academy of Music last night to witness "A Runaway Match," which was produced in this city for the first time. The show was everything that had been claimed for it in the advance notices and excelled many performances seen here at a higher price. There was laughter and lots of it from the beginning of the first act until the close of the last. Each member of the cast sustained his or her part to perfection throughout the play. It proved to be a double runaway with both couples trying to keep their plans from the other. A stop over at a tavern resulted in many side-splitting situations and the play ended by the couples marrying just opposite to their first intentions. "A Runaway Match" deserves packed houses all along its journey."

The advance sale of seats will commence to-morrow morning at the Academy's down-town office at Plummer's.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Sergeant G. H. Ward, of the Police Department, is back at his post after a week's vacation.

— Mr. Junius Davis, Jr., left yesterday to resume his studies in the Boston School of Technology.

— Mr. R. J. Hester, of Elizabethtown, was in the city yesterday and called at the STAR office.

— Mrs. H. C. Bentley, of Richmond, Va., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. G. A. Bronson, 419 Grace street.

— Mrs. Geo. M. Stackhouse, of Marion, S. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday en route to West Point, Va.

— Mr. R. M. Sheppard is back from Linville, N. C., where he spent the Summer and is now at the office of Hugh MacRae & Co.

— Dr. J. H. Bornemann, Jr., after spending the Summer with his parents, returned Sunday to the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia.

— Cadet Louis Davis, of the Naval Academy, after spending a pleasant vacation at home with his parents, returned to Annapolis Sunday evening.

— The numerous friends of Mr. Ben. F. White will regret to know that he is sinking from a long and protracted illness at his home on Market street.

Drunk in Court.

Because he appeared in court in a drunken condition, as a witness in a case between two negro women, Mayor Waddell yesterday sent Charles Howe, a "Brooklyn" colored man, to the county roads for ten days for contempt of court. Rebecca Jones was the defendant and she was fined $5 for disorderly conduct. Howe was at the bottom of the disorder on the part of the woman and when he was called to testify he was too drunk to answer intelligently the questions asked him by the Mayor and confessed that he was drunk.

Funeral of Mrs Sebrell.

The obsequies of the late Mrs. Lucy Waldo Sebrell were conducted Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the family residence, No. 214 South Second street, the Rev. Wm. Francis Dickinson, rector of St. Paul's parish, officiating. A large number of friends were present to pay a last sad mark of respect to the deceased, and the floral offerings were beautiful. The remains were laid to rest in beautiful Oakdale. The following were pall-bearers: Messrs. C. M. Whitlock, C. C. Covington, James M. Hall, J. B. Mercer, W. H. Howell and W. L. Williford.

To Richmond and return for the Horse Show. The Atlantic Coast Line will sell from points in Virginia and North Carolina round trip tickets at date of one fare, plus 50 cents, which inclues one admission to the Amphitheatre. Tickets will be sold October 13th to 18th, inclusive; good to October 20th, 1902.

L. & N. ACQUISITION.

Its Taking Over by Coast Line Believed to Be All But Consummated.

INTERVIEW WITH MORGAN.

Great Financier Good as Admits the Deal. What a Magnificent System the Consolidated Lines Will Make!--Big Things for Wilmington.

The acquisition of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad by the Atlantic Coast Line is a prolific source of speculation just at present, and official announcement of the deal is daily and hourly expected. The interest here, of course, centers chiefly in the effect that the consolidation will have on Wilmington. The general impression prevails, and it appears to be the correct one, that the taking-over of this property by the Coast Line will be nothing more nor less than a boon to the city.

That the deal has been or is about to be consummated is as good as announced by Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan in his interview printed in the telegraphic columns of the STAR this morning, in connection with yesterday's Wall street news.

The plan as outlined is for the turning over of the 306,000 Louisville and Nashville railroad shares now deposited with Morgan & Co., to the Atlantic Coast Line Company of Connecticut, a securities concern for the Atlantic Coast Line.

Of these shares, 100,000 were bought outright from Gates and Hawley and others, and for the remainder an option was given for $150 per share, expirable October 1.

The syndicate is to pay $150 a share, or $45,900,000 for the control, and is expected to deliver to the Atlantic Coast Line Company the 306,000 shares. In payment, the syndicate shall receive, first, $10,000,000 in cash; second, $35,000,000 in 4 per cent. collateral trust bonds of the Atlantic Coast Line Company, secured by deposit of the Louisville and Nashville stock; third, $5,000,000 in Atlantic Coast Line Company's stock.

These developments are exactly in line with a prediction made by the STAR several weeks ago. The result of the negotiations now in progress will be to join two of the greatest systems in the South.

If the Atlantic Coast Line takes over the Louisville and Nashville — and there appears no doubt of it—the following properties will be represented in the combined systems:

Louisville and Nashville	3,336
Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis	1,196
Western and Atlantic	188
Atlanta, Knoxville and Northern	251
Louisville and Nashville system	4,921
Plant system	2,140
Atlantic Coast Line	1,684
Columbia and Western Carolina	338
Coast Line system	4,162
Georgia, leased by Coast Line and Louisville and Nashville	307
West Point Route, controlled by Georgia	218
Grand Total	9,588

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Deeds Filed for Official Record Yesterday at the Court House.

The following transfers of real estate appear from deeds filed for record at the Court House yesterday: Henry Gould Latimer to Carrie A. Latimer, residence and lot at southeastern intersection of Third and Orange streets, 71½ feet on Third street and running back into the block 121 feet; consideration, $4,000.

Frank H. Stedman, sheriff, to Etta J. Bowden, lot on west side of Twelfth between Market and Dock streets, 40x60 feet in size; consideration $41.

Samuel P. Collier and wife to Joseph A. Westbrook, building and lot on east side of Fourth between Brunswick and Bladen streets, 30 feet on Fourth street and running into the block 60 feet; consideration, $1,200.

Diamond Shoal Light-Vessel.

Notice is given by the Light-House Board that on or about October 6, 1902, Light-Vessel No. 72 will be placed on the station, about 5½ miles southeasterly from the easterly point of the Outer Diamond Shoal off the seacoast of North Carolina, and about 14½ miles SE. ¼ S. from Cape Hatteras Light-House, and Light-House Vessel No. 71, now marking the station, will then be withdrawn. Light-Vessel No. 72 will show lights, including a searchlight throwing a vertical beam of white light toward the zenith, and sound a fog-signal having the same characteristics as those on Light-Vessel No. 71, and her general appearance is the same as that of the latter vessel, excepting that she bears the number 72 instead of 71 on each bow and each quarter.

A WORD TO THE WISE

THE MORNING STAR Business Locals Column offers the best, cheapest and surest means of getting quick returns on advertisements for—

Help Wanted,
Situations Wanted,
Boarders Wanted,
Rooms For Rent,
Houses For Rent,
Houses For Sale,
Property For Sale,
Lost, Found,
Strayed, Stolen,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 30 cents.
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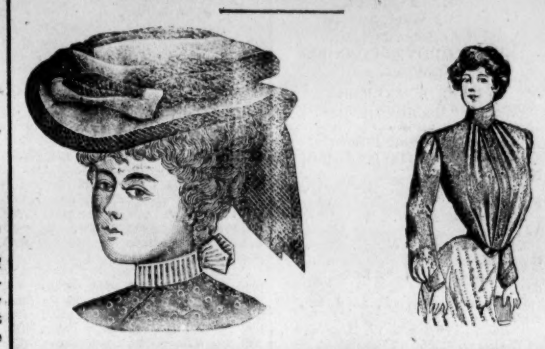
The Paris Millinery Emporium,

129 MARKET STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C.



Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed. Everything bright and new, all up-to-date. No old stock to push off on you from last fall. Best Milliner from New York State (Madame Connelly). Silk Waist 87c, 98c, $2.50, $2.98, $3.50, $3.98. White Pique, fleeced lined, for fall $1.25 (Waist). Flannel Waist, wool, 60c, $1.10, $1.35. Broadcloth Waist $1.45, $1.87, $2.18, worth double. Mercerine Moray Waist $1.25, strong as iron. Mercerize Silk Embroidered Waist 98c. Ladies' Tailor-made Suits (Wednesday) $9.50 to $15.00, big value. Ladies' Trimmed Hats 19c to $3.00. All brides should see us before purchasing. Next Thursday 200 real Paris made patern Hats, bought at 50c on the dollar from the largest wholesale house in New York; will sell them at 50 per cent. on the dollar. Watch my ad for new things. Come early or you may miss first choice. Shetland Floss, all shades, and other knitting yarns at 10c skein. Our Waists are the latest styles in make and all shades. Children's Reefer Jackets elaborately embroidered 98c, $1.15, $1.25; long Cloaks $1.75, $1.98, $2.98. Visit our store next Thursday and get a Souvenir.

M. BRADDY, Prop.

sep 30 tf

Opening of City Schools.

The Superintendent of Schools will be in his office in the High School on Thursday and Friday from 9 to 11 o'clock for the purpose of examining and classifying new students. During the same hours at the Hemenway, Mrs. McLeod will meet and classify new pupils, who will enter the primary and grammar schools north of Market street. At the Union building Miss Cook will examine those living south of Market street for admission to the Union school. All teachers are requested to meet in their respective buildings on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Full Line FANCY FRUIT

TO-DAY.

E. WARREN & SON.

sep 29 tf

The Ice Cream

SERVED AT

Braddy's Paris Millinery

Was made by us.
Did you try it?

FARRIS'

BAKERY.

15 and 17 South Second St.
'Phone 626. sep 25 tf

At The Unlucky Corner

The Most Up-to-Date Stock of

First Class Fancy Groceries

at retail in the city.

Ample facilities for serving you promptly. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Yours for business,

S. W. Sanders.

P. S.—New accounts invited. sep 19 tf

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Thursday Night, Oct. 2nd.

The Whirlwind Society Farce,

A Runaway Match

A merry mixture of pure comedy and polite vaudeville.
Seats on sale Wednesday.
sep 30 3t

PEANUTS, PEANUTS, PEANUTS.

500 Bags Virginia and North Carolina Peanuts.
We are also agents for the Acme Peanut Roaster, price $17.50 delivered.
Also, a full line of other goods for sale.

D. L. CORE CO.,

Wholesale Grocers,
118 to 134 North Water street,
sep 28 tf Wilmington, N. C.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY, WILMINGTON, N. C.:

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company have declared due and payable on October 1st, 1902, three and one-half per cent. interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company for the six months ending September 30th, 1902; interest due and payable at the office of the Treasurer at Wilmington, N. C. The Transfer Books will stand closed from September 22nd to September 30th, 1902, both inclusive.

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TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 30.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Congress—Sixth District,
GILBERT B. PATTERSON,
of Robeson.

For Chief Justice of Supreme Court,
WALTER CLARK,
of Wake.

For Associate Justices,
HENRY GROVES CONNOR,
of Wilson.
PLATT D. WALKER
of Mecklenburg.

Superior Court Judges:

Second District—R. B. Peebles, of Northampton.
Fourth District—C. M. Cooke, of Franklin.
Sixth District—W. R. Allen, of Wayne.
Eighth District—W. H. Neal, of Scotland.
Tenth District—B. F. Long, of Iredell.
Eleventh District—E. B. Jones, of Forsyth.
Thirteenth District—W. B. Council, of Watauga.
Fourteenth District—M. H. Justice, of Rutherford.
Fifteenth District—Frederick Moore, of Buncombe.
Sixteenth District—G. S. Ferguson, of Haywood.

For Solicitor:

Fifth District—Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.
Seventh District—C. C. Lyon, of Bladen.

For Corporation Commissioner,
EUGENE C. BEDDINGFIELD,
of Wake.

For Supt. of Public Instruction,
JAMES Y. JOYNER,
of Guilford.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For the House—George L. Morton.
For the Senate—George H. Bellamy.

COUNTY TICKET.

Clerk Superior Court—Jno. D. Taylor.
Sheriff—Frank H. Stedman.
Register of Deeds—W. H. Biddle
Treasuer—H. McL. Green.
Coroner—C. D. Bell.
Surveyor—Alex P. Adrian.
Constable, Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.

THE LAW OF NECESSITY.

The Pennsylvania coal strike, how to end it and how to prevent the recurrence of similar strikes is now an absorbing topic of discussion, not only in the coal region, but in the country at large, especially in that portion of the country dependent upon the Pennsylvania mines for fuel. As we remarked in Sunday's issue, it has become a question in which not the mine operators and miners only are interested, but millions of people also who live outside of Pennsylvania, people who are even more interested in the ending of the strike than the striking miners are, and much more than the mine owners are.

In the article we published Sunday morning we gave the substance of a bill which Senator Mason, of Illinois, will present when the Senate meets in December, by which time the strike will have probably ended, but as it covers all similar cases, it will doubtless be discussed by Congress, although there is little likelihood of its passage. It is a good law, though, and there is no reason why it or something like it should not be adopted by every State where coal mining is carried on as an industry.

In discussing this question heretofore we have contended that the State of Pennsylvnnia has or should have the right to take possession of these mines, when it became apparent that closing them would result in a shortage of coal, one of the absolute necessities, which no body of men under any pretext or plea should be allowed to cut off any more than any body of men owning land on both sides of a river should be allowed to dam it and deprive the people of its use until they got ready to let the water run again. This may not be precisely a parallel case, but it is parallel in so far as coal is as much a necessity as water, which no man or body of men are allowed to use as they please to the detriment of others, a right the coal barons claim by divine appointment. This is the brazen contention of at least President Baer, who gives it as the reason and justification for refusing to arbitrate with the strikers.

There are jurists, too, who hold that the State has not only the right but that it is its duty to keep coal mines open to the end that the people may not suffer in their persons nor in their business for want of the fuel upon which they are dependent.

Judge Gibbons, of the Circuit Court of Cook county, Illinois, has the reputation of being a recognized authority on constitutional law. He was recently asked his opinion as to whether the State of Pennsylvania has the right to interfere between the anthracite mine owners and the strikers and compel the owners to operate the mines, or take possession of the them and operate them. Answering that question he is thus quoted by the Chicago *News*:

"Yes, there is, for the Governor and the State Legislature of Pennsylvania have the power to put an end to the strike if they are courageous and patriotic enough to do it. I don't believe in taking a man's property away from him, but if the public good demands the use of it I believe in the State taking possession of it and operating it for the use of the people, making reasonable compensation to the owner.

"There are certain species of property which, by the law of nature, are intended to be common, such for example as the common of pasture and of turbary. The right to the use of these properties arises from the law of necessity, and so well recognized is this right that even under the feudal system the lord of the manor could not appropriate to himself this kind of property without leaving sufficient to meet the needs of the people.

"The right to acquire and hold property is regulated by human law, which cannot derogate from the natural law. According to divine law, all things are ordained to sustain the life of man, and, therefore, the division and appropriation of things by human laws cannot hinder the sustenance of man in case of necessity.

"The obligation to feed the hungry springs from the natural right of every man to live and to the food necessary to sustain life. This right prevails over all positive laws of property. The owners of mines refuse to treat with their employes saying that there is nothing to arbitrate.

"In like manner the English landlords refused to treat with their tenants, but the Gladstone land act of 1880 gave to a commission the power to hear and determine complaints of tenants against their landlords and to decree what rate of rent should be paid. That was one of the most revolutionary laws ever passed, and is an excellent precedent for the present situation in America.

"The right of property in human beings was once a vested right in this country, created by common consent, guaranteed by the constitution and consecrated by a century's legislation. Yet the quickening conscience of the the nineteenth century, beholding in this vested right the greatest crime of the age, revolted, and the rebellion which followed wrought the extinction of ownership in such property, thereby branding the vested right of yesterday as the venal wrong of today.

"Men of conscience have no patience with any system of laws which permits a few coal barons to appropriate all the coal mines of a great commonwealth and then refuse to operate them or to permit others to do so. These coal fields, like the common of pasture and of turbary, are necessary for the common good, and therefore cannot lawfully be appropriated by any one man or set of men to the exclusion of the whole people.

"While the legislature has no power to take from the coal barons their property, its has the power to pass a law compelling them to operate the mines, or in case they refuse or fail to do so, to provide for a commission of the mines and lease them out, paying a reasonable royalty as compensation to the owners."

In publishing this opinion, the *News* commends it as the utterance of one of the most respected legal authorities in the city of Chicago, and we have not the slightest doubt that if a test case were made it would be sustained by the highest court of Pennsylvania and by the Supreme Court of the United States, if it went so far. It would be sustained on the ground of necessity, the higher law, to meet emergencies that the written law did not provide for because the framers of the written law were not seers enough to peer into the future, and provide against contingencies which they did not and could not anticipate. Would any State do its duty which permitted a body of men to control its food supplies so as to create a famine, and cause suffering and death? If that were attempted and the State authorities made no effort to prevent it, the people acting upon the supreme law of necessity would take possession of the storehouses in which those food stuffs were locked up and appropriate them; and no one but the food cornerers would say that act was unjustifiable. Would a State which permits its coal mines to be closed and its people to suffer for fuel, be doing its duty? Would any one but the coal barons say that the people would be guilty of violation of law if they took possession of these mines, which the State refused to do? The supreme law of necessity would be recognized as *the* law.

The people are entitled to the air they breathe, to the water that comes from the heavens and bubbles up from the earth, to the sunshine that covers the earth and to the coal of the earth to keep them warm in Winter and no man or body of men have a right under any written or unwritten law, to monopolize, when possible, any of these to the extent of inflicting suffering upon their fellow men. The law of necessity is against that and so is justice and common sense and humanity.

Commenting upon a statement by the New York *World*, that there are policemen in that burg who started with nothing but their pay, who are worth from $20,000 to $1,500,000, the Macon *Telegraph* remarks that these figures do not show that they are corrupt. Not necessarily. It only shows that they had a powerful pull and knew how to work it. There's ex-Chief Devery, for instence, who says he made his money by getting tips from Mrs. Hetty Green when to take hold and when to let go in the stock market.

And now they are charging Speaker Henderson with all sorts of inconsistencies for fluking. They say he was at a conference held after the Iowa platform was adopted and that while he did not agree with the demand for tariff revision, he said all Republicans could stand upon it, and now instead of standing on it he gets his Scotch up and goes to kicking at it like an irritated mule.

A Missouri judge has made himself solid with his feminine constituency by eliminating the word "obey" from the connubial knots which he ties. He holds that the word is entirely superfluous, as a wife who has husband she loves will obey him, and if she has the other kind no human or other law should make her do it. And generally speaking he is about right.

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PROSPERITY IN NORTH CARO LINA.

With an assumption characteristic of Republican stumpers Senator Pritchard claims that the industrial progress made in North Carolina, in the past decade, especially, is the result of Republican rule and Republican economic policies, when the reverse is true, for North Carolina has progressed industrially not as a result of Republican rule and policies, but in spite of them.

We know that there was no progress, nothing but unrest and strife and contention, until the Republican party was driven out of power in the State. Then the people and the men who had money to invest in business enterprises felt some sense of security, and consequently cotton manufactories and other manufactories began to spring up, entirely regardless of the so-called encouragement and protection given by the tariff for two of the industries that have made the most progress (and it has been extraordinary in both)—cotton manufacturing and furniture making—are not benefited in the least by the tariff. We import no coarse grades of cotton goods and no furniture, therefore there is no foreign competition on these and no need for protection.

A practical admission of the benefit of Democratic rule in the State is the fact that there are many voters who under the mistaken impression that the Republican national policies are good, vote the Republican ticket, but invariably vote the State and local Democratic tickets, to keep the State and local governments in Democratic control. The Republican leaders long ago abandoned the hope of recovering possession of power alone, and have resorted to "fusing" with other elements, with any set of men of any stripe or any political belief, who were hungry for office, and would agree to fight and vote against the Democratic party to get it. But even then they succeeded but once, and that for a brief period (entirely too long, however), and now Senators Pritchard and his associate schemers are trying the same old game again.

HOW IS THIS?

The Philadelphia *Press* is a stalwart Republican organ and also a stalwart defender of the Dingley tariff and opponent of revision. In a recent editorial, the object of which was to show that there is a very small, in fact insignificant quantity of American manufactures shipped abroad and sold for less than they are at home, it says:

The Treasury Bureau of statistics has recently issued a bulletin showing the prices charged for goods in 1897, the last year of the Wilson law, as compared with the year 1901. There was a general advance in prices as well as in wages. But the increase took place in the non-protected articles as well as in those getting the benefit of the tariff. Wages increased and the country became prosperous as the result of better business.

How is this? Isn't it broadly asserted, reiterated and persisted in by Republican organs and public speakers that the prosperity we have is the result of the Dingley tariff? But here we have it admitted by a leading Republican organ and a champion of the Dingley tariff that in 1897, the last year of the Wilson tariff, "wages increased, and the country became prosperons as the result of better business." Higher wages, better business and prosperity before the Dingley tariff was constructed, and under the Wilson tariff which, according to the Dingley tariff defenders, "paralyzed the industries and business of the country and brought poverty to the people." This is an interesting admission, and must have been inadadvertently made.

We asserted in an article several days ago that the industrial depression in this country in 1893 really began under the McKinley tariff and before the Harrison administration ended, as a proof of which the funds in the treasury fell so low that Mr. Foster, Harrison's secretary of the treasury, had plates engraved to borrow money to meet deficiencies, which plates were afterwards used in printing the bonds issued by John G. Carlisle, Cleveland's secretary of the treasury, to borrow money, for the borrowing of which Senator Pritchard so vociferously arraigns the Cleveland administration.

We also asserted that the business revival began under the Wilson tariff, before the Republican policies went into effect, which assertion is corroborated by this extract from the editorial in the *Press*, the stalwart defender of and prosperity claimant for the Dingley tariff.

Seven Years in Bed.

"Will wonders ever cease!" inquire the friends of Mrs. L. Pease, of Lawrence, Kan. They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver trouble, nervous prostration and general debility; but, "Three bottles of Electrict Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from Headache, Backache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Only 50 cents. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Salisbury *Sun*: Haywood county reports the largest apple crop in its history. Thousands of barrels will be shipped from Waynesville this fall and winter.

— Concord *Tribune*: A gentleman by the name of St. Clair has secured a lease on the Hudson farm on the Southern railroad between here and Rocky Ridge, and will soon open up a rock quarry. It will be run on a large scale and will no doubt bring a large amount of money into the town.

— Durham *Sun*: Although the tax books have not been completed, it is ascertained that the increase in valuation in the county will amount to $2,037,584 more than last year. The total amount in Durham township is $10,804,383, while the valuation of taxable property in all the other townships combined will amount to $833,800. Total in the whole county, $11,638,183.

— Fremont *Visitor*: Wm. Ricks had some of the largest onions on sale this week we have ever seen. Some of them weighed as high as a pound and thirteen ounces and others in proportion. —— We have had enough rain this week to lay the dust but not enough to benefit the wells any. A large number of wells in town have failed, making water a serious problem. Well cleaners have been kept busy; some have had new wells dug. The scarcity of water has also interfered with the mills in this section running on full time.

— Greensboro *Record*: A well digger Thursday found a suspicious looking chunk of metal on the farm of Mrs. Harrison Fields, three miles north of Greensboro, and bringing it to the city had a chemist to examine it, who pronounced it a nugget of pure gold, eighteen karats fine. The lump is about the size of one's thumb and the gold runs entirely through it. The man will not tell exactly at what place on the farm he found it. He seems to think he has a good thing and wants to share in it.

— Winston *Journal*: C. M. Thomas & Co. were notified Friday by the coal dealers who have for years been supplying them, that Chicago buyers had offered them a bonus of from one dollar to a dollar and a half a ton for the coal they had expected to send here and asking for release from any obligations to fill Mr. Thomas' order. Mr. Thomas wrote in reply stating that if the wholesaler would send him the two hundred tons due on an order accepted he would pay Chicago prices for any other coal ordered. This will probably be accepted, or at lesat Mr. Thomas thinks it will be, and this means that coal will likely cost from $6 to $7 a ton in Winston next winter.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— President Roosevelt said in his Indianapolis speech that we must read just the tariff "without resorting to a surgical operation." But his own experience a few hours afterwards ought to convince him that a surgical operation is sometimes necessary.—*Atlanta Journal, Dem.*

—— The Agricultural Department estimates that since 1890 the number of people in the United States has increased 20 per cent. while the number of cattle is about the same. Measured by the value per pound, however, the increase has been decidedly in favor of the cattle.—*Louisville Courier-Journal, Dem.*

—— After considering the demands of the Cuban government concerning the withdrawal of our troops, reading our proceedings of the various Spanish-American War Veteran's associations, and then thinking of the $20,000,000 worth of bother we purchased in the Philippines, the average American taxpayer begins to wonder just where war profits come in.—*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— Referring to the President's argument that the big and bad trusts cannot be regulated through the tariff, except by hurting and ruining the "small" and "independent" concerns manufacturing the same products, the Philadelphia Ledger pertinently says: "Where are the small, independent sugar refineries which would be crushed by crushing the Sugar Trust? Where are the small, independent tin plate competitors or where are the small, independent window and plate glass concerns which would be hurt or destroyed by the repeal of the prohibitory duties of the Dingley Act?" —*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS

— Although time flies, the teeth of time would require special wing power if they should ever be pitted against the quick lunch of to-day.—*Judge.*

— Actor—I have a war as well as a historic record. I was nearly killed once by the bursting of a shell. Manager—Who threw the egg!—*Baltimore World.*

— "Mamma, what will I have to do when I am educated and accomplished?" "Oh, you can pass the rest of your life learning how to keep house."—*Life.*

— Killen—"Do you think we shall ever civilize those bloody Moros?" Byrne—"Sure, in a couple of hundred years. Look at our success with the Indians"—*Chicago Tribune.*

— "Don't you think that young man is afflicted with a swelled head?" "No," answered Miss Cayenne, "he's not afflicted with it, he enjoys it."—*Washington Star.*

— "Has he confessed?" asked the leader of the vigilance committee. "Yes," the other man answered him. "But he hasn't given us the confession we told him to give us. We're going to string him up again."—*Chicago Times.*

— Naggsby—I understand that Grubber is accused of rank plagiarism in the writings he has been passing off as original. Waggsby—Yet one would hardly call him a thief. He's only a cliptomaniac.—*Los Angeles Herald.*

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Figures Don't Lie.

Brown—You only fifty! That's a good one!

White—My daughter says she is only twenty-six, and she was born two years after I was married, and I was married at twenty-two. Figure it out for yourself.—Boston Transcript.

Bricks and Mortar.

Two Irishmen were arguing who was the cleverer.

"Well," said Pat, "I'll bet you can't tell me what keeps bricks together."

"Shure," said Mike. "It's mortar."

"No," said Pat; "you are wrong; that keeps them apart."

Good Thing Gone Wrong.

Rev. Goodman—Mr. Slick, our Sunday school superintendent, is a tried and trusted employee of yours, is he not?

Banker—He was trusted, and he'll be tried if we're only fortunate enough to catch him.—Philadelphia Press.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted

BAGGING—		
1 ℔ Jute	6½	7
Standard		7½
Burlaps	6	6½
WESTERN SMOKED—		
Hams ℔ ℔	12½@	14
Sides ℔ ℔	10 @	10½
Shoulders ℔ ℔	9 @	9½
DRY SALTED		
Sides ℔ ℔	9 60 @	9 75
Shoulders ℔ ℔	9 @	9½
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—		
Second-hand, each	1 35 @	1 35
Second-hand machine	1 35 @	1 35
New New York, each	@	1 35
New City, each	@	1 35
BRICKS—		
Wilmington ℔ M	6 50 @	7 00
Northern	9 00 @	14 00
BUTTER—		
North Carolina ℔ ℔	25 @	32½
Northern	22 @	28
CORN MEAL—		
Per bushel, in sacks	75 @	77½
Virginia Meal	@	77½
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle	@	1 12½
CANDLES—℔ ℔—		
Sperm	18 @	35
Adamantine	8 @	11
COFFEE—℔ ℔—		
Laguyra	11 @	12½
Rio	7 @	10
DOMESTICS—		
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard	@	5½
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 ℔s	@	0
FISH—		
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00 @	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl.	11 00 @	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00 @	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl.	8 00 @	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00 @	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 75 @	4 25
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	7 50 @	8 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00 @	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	@	10
Extra	4 00 @	5 00
FLOUR—℔ ℔—		
Low grade	3 50 @	3 75
Choice	3[7]5 @	4 00
Straight	4 25 @	4 50
First Patent	@	5 00
GLUE—℔ ℔—	8 @	10
GRAIN—℔ bushel—		
Corn, from store, bgs—White	83½@	85
Mixed Corn	@	82½
Oats, from store (mixed)	57½@	60
Oats, Rust Proof	70 @	75
Cow Peas	1 10 @	1 15
HIDES—℔ ℔—		
Green salted	4 @	5
Dry flint	10 @	11
Dry salt	9 @	10
HAY ℔ 100 ℔s		
No 1 Timothy	95 @	1 00
Rice Straw	50 @	60
N. C. Crop	75 @	80
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔	@	3½
CHEESE—℔ ℔—		
Northern Factory	13½@	14
Dairy Cream	12 @	13½
Half cream	10 @	13½
LARD, ℔ ℔—		
Northern	8½@	12½
North Carolina	10 @	12½
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 10 @	1 25
ROPE, ℔ barrel—		
City Mess	@	18 50
Rump	@	18 50
Prime	@	17 50
ROPE, ℔ ℔	11 @	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum	@	1 25
Liverpool	@	90
American	@	90
On 001 ℔ bags	45 @	48
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Gran'd	@	5 00
Standard A	@	4
White Extra C	4½@	4¾
Extra C, Golden	@	4¾
C Yellow	@	4¾
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—		
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00 @	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00 @	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00 @	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00 @	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00 @	15 00

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing of the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, September 29.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.50 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel for hard, $2.60 for dip, and $2.60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar steady at $1.35; crude turpentine quiet at $1.00 @2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirit sturpentine	64
Rosin	309
Tar	200
Crude turpentine	84

Receipts same day last year—10 casks spirits turpentine, 42 barrels rosin, 97 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market quiet on a basis of 8¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	6	cts. ℔ ℔
Good ordinary	7½	" "
Low middling	8	" "
Middling	8¾	" "
Good middling	8 9-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 8½c for middling.

Receipts—5,301 bales; same day last year, 1,897.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 77 @80c.

CORN—Firm: 77½@80c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Dull at 17@18c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@25c; springs, 10@22c.

TURKEYS—No sale.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 70@75c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Money on call 12@35 per cent., last loan at 20 per cent., closing offered at 20 per cent. Prime mercantile paper was 6 per cent. Sterling exchange was steady; actual business in bankers' bills at 485@485.75 for demand and 482.25@482.375 for sixty days. Posted rates 483 @483½ and 486½. Commercial bills 482@482½. Bar silver 51 Mexican dollars 40. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds were weak. U. S refunding 2's, registered, 109½; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 110; U. S. 3's, registered, 108; do. coupon, 108. U. S. 4's, new registered, 137; do. coupon, 137; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 110¾, do. coupon, 111¼; U. S. 5's registered, 105¼; do. coupon, 105¼; Southern Railway, 5's, 119. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 102⅝; Chesapeake & Ohio 48¼; Manhattan L 133; New York Central 155; Reading 63½; do. 1st preferred 86; do. 2nd preferred 73½; St. Paul 184½; do. pref'd, 192; Southern Railway 36; do. pref'd 95; Amalgamated Copper 63¾; Am'n Tobacco —c; People's Gas 103⅛; Sugar 133⅝; Tennessee Coal and Iron 63½; U. S. Leather 13½; do. pref'd, 87⅝; Western Union 90; U. S. Steel 38⅞; do. preferred 87½; Nat'l R. R. of Mexico 19; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 67; do. preferred, 129; Standard Oil, 660 @665.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 29.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 28¾ bid; do. preferred, 47@48; bonds, fours, 87¼@87½.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine steady at 50@50½c.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 29.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 29.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 47½c; receipts 500 casks; sales 715 casks; exports 438 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 1,907 barrels; sales 1,269 barrels; exports 10,064 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 29, E, $1 32½; F, $1 35; G, $1 40; H, $1 65; I, $1 90; K $2 50; M, $3 00; N, $3 40; W G, $3 65; W W, $4 00.

COTTON MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The cotton market opened steady, following the lead of Liverpool market which was materially higher than expected and being influenced of damage to the Texas crop by cloud bursts But while higher, the market failed to develope activity and for the balance of the session followed a narrow rut with unimportant changes in values. September alone displayed positive heaviness, due to the final clearing up of old long accounts. Wall street bull interest supported the January option and sold March. The late weather reports from the South told of general rains in the belt, while the forecast was for colder weather in the Western States to-night and to-morrow. The South and Europe were light buyers here from time to time during the day; the commission house contingent had comparatively few orders, the speculative public being influenced by weakness in the stock market and very "tight" money. Heavy receipts exerted small influence, having been discounted for the most part. The shorts were rather uneasy as to the probable showing by to-morrow's weekly crop weather report from Washington and were inclined to anticipate an unfavorable condition statement from the bureau next Friday. The close was quiet, with prices five points lower to three points higher. Total sales were estimated at 100,000 bales.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Cotton quiet at 9c; net receipts 5,768 bales; gross receipts — bales; stock 30,241 bales

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 9c; middling gulf 9¼c; sales 1,806 bales.

Futures market closed quiet: September 8.61, October 8.63, November 8.68, December 8.75, January 8.79, February 8.56, March 8.56, April 8.55, May 8.55.

Total to-day—Net receipts 50,860 bales; exports to Great Britain 21,774 bales; exports to France 3,033 bales; exports to the Continent 19,671 bales; stock 423,503 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 101,440 bales; exports to Great Britain 34,160 bales; exports to France 9,396 bales, exports to the Continent 29,940 bales.

Total since September 1st—Net receipts 283,407 bales; exports to Great Britain 188,443 bales; exports to France 49,429 bales; exports to the Continent 241,598 bales.

Sept. 29.—Galveston, quoted quiet at 8 9-16c, net receipts 16,533 bales; Norfolk, steady at 8 9-16, net receipts 220 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 9c, net receipts 13 bales; Wilmington, quiet at 8¼c, net receipts 5,301 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 9¼, net receipts 138 bales; Savannah, steady at 8¼c, net receipts 2,916 bales; New Orleans, steady at 8¼c, net receipts 10,284 bales; Mobile, quiet at 8¼c, net receipts 537 bales; Memphis, steady at 8 7-16, net receipts 4,877 bales; Augusta, quiet at 8 7-16c, net receipts 3,333 bales; Charleston, firm at 8¼c, net receipts 5,487 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Flour was easy and a trifle lower with wheat; closing prices: Winter patents $3 55 @3 85; Minnesota patents $3 75@4 00. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 73¼c. Options closed weak and ¼@½c net lower. Sales: May closed 74¼c; September closed 74½c; December 73¼c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 67¼c. Options market closed steady and unchanged. Sales: May closed 46; September closed 66¼c; October closed —c; December closed 51½c. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2 33c. Lard easier; Western steam $10 80; September $10 80, nominal; refined easier; continent $11 00; South American $11 60; compound 7¼@8¼c. Pork steady; family $20 50@21 00; mess $18 00@18 75; short clear $19 25@21 00. Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice 5¼c; mild steady; Cordova 8@11½c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3c; centrifugal 96 test, 3½c. Eggs steady; State and Pennsylvania, average best, 23@24. Peanuts—Market quoted firm; fancy hand-picked 5¼@5½c; domestic 3¼@5¾. Potatoes steady; Long Island $1 62@1 75; South Jersey sweets $2 00 @2 50; Jerseys $1 50@1 65; New York, per 180 lbs., $1 50@1 75. Butter was firm; extra creamery 22½c; State dairy 16¼@21½c. Cheese was firm; new State full cream, small colored fancy 12c; small white 12c. Cabbages quiet; Long Island per 100 $2 00@2 50. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 15c. Tallow firm. Rice firm Cotton seed oil was firm on spot and held at 38c for prime summer yellow. October trade was of moderate volume. Closing quotations: Prime crude, f. o b. mills 28@29c; prime summer yellow 40@41c; off summer yellow 39c; prime white 45c; prime winter yellow 45c; prime meal $27 00@28 00, nominal.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Weakness was again prevalent on the board of trade to-day and the trading on the whole rather light. December wheat ½c lower; December corn closed a shade lower, oats ¼c to ½c lower. January pork closed 12½c lower; lard 7½c lower and ribs 5c lower.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Cash prices: Flour quiet and steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 73¼@74c; No. 3 spring 68@74c; No. 2 red 86¼@88c. Corn—No. 3, 57¾; No. 2 yellow 58¼c. Oats—No. 2 28¾@29c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 30@34c. Rye—No 2 50c. Mess pork, per barrel, $16 0@16 35. Lard, 100 lbs, $11 30@11 40. Short rib sides, loose, $10 90@11 05 Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 25@9 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $11 12½@11 37½. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 September 86¼@87, 88, 86, 87⅜c; December 69½, 69¾, 68⅝@68¾, 68¾c; May 69¾@69⅞, 70, 69¾, 69⅝c. Corn—No. 2, September 57@58, 59, 57, 57¾c; December 45¾@45¼, 45¾, 45¼, 45⅝c; May 41@41¾, 41¾, 41, 41¼c. Oats—No 2 September, old, 26¾, 26¾, 26¼, 26⅝; do. new 32½, 32½, 31⅞, 32¼c; December, new, 31, 31⅞, 30¾, 30¾c. Mess pork, per bbl—October $16 50, 16 50, 16 35, 16 35; January $15 20, 15 22½, 15 12½, 15 17½; May $14 20, 14 22½, 14 15, 14 20. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $10 75, 11 50, 11 70, 11 45; October $9 82½, 9 72½; January $8 65, 8 65, 8 57½, 8 67½, May $8 07½, 8 07¼, 8 00, 8 00. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—September $11 25, 11 25, 11 25; October 11 00, 11 05, 11 00, 11 05; January $8 12½, 8 13½, 8 05, 8 07½.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 29.—Cotton: Spot, quiet; prices steady; American middling fair 5 5-16d; good middling 5 1-32d; middling 4 15-16d; low middling 4 27-32d; good ordinary 4 23-32d; ordinary 4 19-32d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,200 bales American. Receipts 17,000 bales, including 15,900 bales American.

Futures opened quiet and closed very steady; American middling (g o c) September 4 55-64d seller; September and October 4 48-64d buyer; October and November 4 43-64@4 44-64d buyer; November and December 4 42-64d buyer; December and January 4 41-64d buyer; January and February 4 40-64@4 41-64d value; February and March 4 40-64d buyer; March and April 4 40-64d seller; April and May 4 39-64@4 40-64d buyer; May and June 4 39-64@4 40-64d buyer.

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Dairy and Creamery

Education is still needed among farmers to tone up their ideas in methods of producing pure milk, said the late L. F. Abbott of Maine. The thought with many people is that milk is contaminated only by the introduction of foreign bodies directly into the milk. It is true that this is a prolific source of bad flavored butter and cheese, but not the only one. It does not occur to these farmers that taints may be introduced to these products through the organism of the cow by her breathing an impure and tainted atmosphere. Well authenticated instances are on record where cows at pasture, breathing air polluted by carrion, carried the taint to their milk and seriously affected the whole product of the factories to which the milk was sent.

The modern barn, with close tieup and cellar used as a depository for the accumulation of manure through the winter, is more suggestive of tainted milk when cows are confined in such quarters. The old, lax notions of allowing cows to stand and to lie down in their ordure six months of the year, accepting the conditions of filthiness the cows take on in consequence as a matter of course, are not yet all obsolete. And yet these farmers think they are targets for persecution if the factory management insists upon a reform in their practice on penalty of exclusion from the factory.

Neck of Good Dairy Cow.

The general appearance of the head and neck of a good type of dairy cow as seen from the front while looking down is brought out very nicely in the illustration reproduced from farmers'

DAIRY COW'S NECK AS SEEN FROM ABOVE AND IN FRONT.

bulletin No. 143 issued by the United States department of agriculture. The thinness of the neck on top and the flatness on the side characteristic of the type are very well shown. The fineness of the neck where it blends with the head and the freedom from dewlap show breeding and quality. The spareness of flesh desired in the dairy type and the flatness of the neck where it joins the shoulder make the neck vein very marked in this class of animals—so much so, in fact, that the shoulder seems to be abnormally developed when compared with the beef type.

Don't Keep Milk Too Long.

One of the most common mistakes in making butter on the farm, particularly during the winter, is in keeping the milk too long. A low temperature of the cream prevents, or, rather, retards, fermentation or souring, and it is often the case that the cream is kept until it is bitter in order to secure a proper acidity, and it is impossible to make a good quality of butter from bitter cream.

Sources of Acid Organisms.

Mr. R. H. Burr of the Storrs (Conn.) agricultural experiment station describes some investigations on the sources of the acid organisms concerned in the souring of milk. He drew milk from cows in such ways that part of the milk was not exposed to external contamination, while the rest was freely exposed during the milking and after. The former contained no acid organisms and remained sweet, while the latter did contain the organisms and became sour and curdled in the usual manner. Furthermore, in postmortem bactereological examinations of the udders of cows he found no acid organisms present. He thus shows that these bacteria get into the milk after it is drawn. He also shows that they come from the dust and dirt from the air, the stable and the cow. The importance of a knowledge of these facts to dairymen is pointed out.

A Well Deserved Compliment.

Referring to the butter contests which have been carried on in Minnesota for the past twelve months, the Dairy Record, published in St. Paul, Minn., says: "Professor Haecker is entitled to a good share of the credit, as he was the originator of the monthly contests and helped institute them and has done all he could to make a success of them. The professor is ever ready to help in any project which will advance the dairy industry, and he is in a position where he may be and has been of great help to the dairymen and butter makers in general, and there is no man in the state who has worked so hard and accomplished as much which has helped in the upbuilding of dairying as Professor Haecker."

The Knowalls.

Now and then we run against people who can be taught nothing more in regard to dairying. These are invariably the ones who are not making more than two-thirds possible profits out of the business.—Dairy and Creamery.

Fertilizing the Strawberry.

From a careful study of the anatomy of the strawberry plant the Wisconsin station is of the opinion that a liberal top dressing with fine manure or a very fertile soil after the fruiting season is the most rational method of fertilizing the strawberry plantation. This dressing protects the crowns of the plants from excessive summer heat and furnishes the young roots with abundant nourishment throughout the growing season, developing strong plants which are able to store up in the short stems a good supply of reserve material for the first leaf growth the following spring.

July In the Flower Garden.

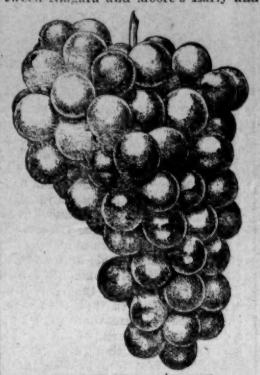
Keep down the weeds.
Sow mignonette for late flowering.
Water the tuberous begonias well during drought.
Keep the dead flowers cut out of the herbaceous borders.
Stake, tie up and pinch back the chrysanthemums for fall blooming.

Distance Between Apple Trees.

I would like to say a word about the distance between apple trees. Practically wherever the limbs touch we fail to get any fruit; therefore it is a natural conclusion that they ought to be far enough apart so that they will not grow together. The cider apple will keep at a respectable distance, but take the Baldwin or White Pippin, and forty feet is too close for them to be planted.—I. J. Blackwell, New Jersey.

A New Grape.

The McKinley Early grape, a variety of last year, has created a good deal of interest. American Gardening, illustrating it, states that "it is a cross between Niagara and Moore's Early and



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promises to be a valuable addition to the list," and its introducer writes that "the McKinley Early ripens two weeks ahead of the Niagara, is fully as productive and has berries like Moore's Diamond. The bunches are compact, firm and will withstand handling. The fruit is sweet clear through, having no acid flavor around the seeds. It is fully as strong a grower as the Niagara and should prove to be a good shipper."

Notes of the Parks.

Seattle, Wash., will add nineteen acres to Washington park, on Union bay, at a cost of $16,000.

An annual feature recently adopted at Seaside park, Bridgeport, Conn., is an "old fashioned garden."

One hundred thousand pansies and 150,000 other bedding plants are used in the Essex county (N. J.) parks every spring.

In the South parks system in Chicago 180,000 trees and shrubs were planted during the past year, most of them coming from the park nurseries.

From the western promenade in Portland, Me., a good view is had on clear days of the White mountains of New Hampshire, eighty miles distant.

The total resources of the South parks, Chicago, for the year 1901 were $1,303,734 and the expenditures $847,232. A bond issue gave $500,000.—Gardening.

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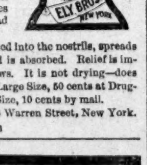

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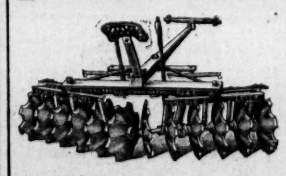

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$ 699,980 02	Capital stock	$ 200,000 00
U. S. Bonds	207,000 00	Profits less expenses	48,242 03
Five per cent. redemption fund	7,500 00	Circulation	156,950 00
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Cash on hand and in banks	505,072 69	Deposits, individual	517,084 84
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TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 4:50 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:20 A. M., Lumberton 9:50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.35 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.18 a m
Ar Chester	1.38 a m	10.32 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.45 a m	12.30 p m
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Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.06 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Ar Norfolk		

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m	7.40 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.30 a m	11.00 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.35 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m	4.55 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m	5.45 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.50 p m	9.30 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.05 p m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.57 p. m.; Portsmouth 5.50 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 38, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

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DAILY 9.10 A. M. — No. 58—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.42 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 A M — No. 48—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.58 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M Weldon 4.53 P. M., Petersburg 5.46 P M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.5[illegible] P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.28 A. M., Philadelphia 4.08 A M., New York 7.13 A. M., *Boston 3.35 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P M — No. 62—Due Jacksonville 4.12 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 2.45 P M — No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.01 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M. Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M. Sumter 9 30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M. Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M Wacon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 3.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M

DAILY 7.00 P M — No. 40—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.50 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., *Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M. Weldon 1.50 A. M., *Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.32 A M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M

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DAILY 10.10 A. M. — No. 41—From North Richmond Wilson.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. — No. 52—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. — No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M — No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 7.30 P M — No. 52—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

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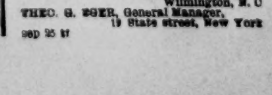

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P M	P. M.		A. M.	A. M
.....	5 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 25	Kinston	10 12	.....
2 40	2 50	Newbern	9 37	9 50
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 25	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 30.

PENNSYLVANIA COAL STRIKE.

A Quiet Day in the Lackawanna District Troops Sent to Suppress Rioting in Northumberland County.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SCRANTON, PA., Sept. 29.—In remarkable contrast to last Monday and the Monday preceding, to-day was wholly free from strike disturbances. Up to a late hour to-night not a single act of violence worthy of note had been reported.

Sheridan Troop of Tyrone, with sixty men, arrived to-day and are now encamped on the hill side above the Thirteenth regiment location. To-night the cavalry went up the valley to patrol the most distant localities where violence has been wont to occur. When the third battalion of the Eighth regiment comes to-morrow to patrol the lower end of the valley, there will be twenty-two companies of infantry, in all about 1,200 men, encamped in Lackawanna county.

The United Mine Workers' leaders claim the non-union men are deserting the companies and applying for admission or re-admission, as the case may be, to the union. Leaders say this is due to the dislike men have for working under guard of militiamen. The companies admit there have been some desertions by workmen during the past week, but attribute them to the wholesale lawlessness which has recently prevailed. Now that the troops have suppressed disorder and are guaranteeing protection to any man who wants to work, there will be a big rush of men to get back into the mines, the companies say.

More Troops Called Out.

HARRISBURG, PA., September 29.—The Fourth regiment has been added to the State force of troops on duty in the anthracite strike region. Sheriff Diedrick called upon General Gobin to-night for troops to suppress the rioting at Mt. Carmel in Northumberland county. The General called up Governor Stone by phone and stated the situation after which the executive ordered out the Fourth regiment.

SHAMOKIN, PA., Sept. 29.—Sheriff Diedrick and a posse left here early this evening for the camps at Richard's colliery, between this place and Mount Carmel, to guard non-unionists from being attacked by a mob of one thousand strikers assembled on the hill near the mine. They did not fire on the posse, but the men refused to disperse for the sheriff. They are still near the colliery. The sheriff swore in a number of deputies to-night at the request of the Pennsylvania railroad to guard trains between here and Mount Carmel, owing to a mob holding up a train to-day near Green Ridge.

BURNED AT THE STAKE.

Negro Who Had Assaulted and Murdered the Wife of a Well Known Citizen at Corinth, Miss.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CORINTH, MISS., Sept. 28.—Writhing in the flames of fagots piled high by hundreds of citizens, Tom Clark, alias Will Gibson, a young negro, was burned at the stake here at a late hour to-day. Clark had confessed to one of the most atrocious assaults and murders in the history of Mississippi, and said that he deserved his awful fate.

On August 19th last Mrs. Carrie Whitfield, the wife of a well-known citizen, was found dead in her home. Investigation showed that the lady had been assaulted. Her head was practically severed from her body. Both Whitfield and his wife were related to several of the most prominent families in the South and the indignation of the people knew no bounds.

PRESIDENT'S WOUND RE-OPENED.

Another Operation Performed on the Abscess on the Left Leg.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Another operation was performed to-day on the abscess on the left leg of President Roosevelt. In the former operation a simple needle was used to relieve the trouble, but to-day the surgeons with a knife made an incision into the small cavity, exposing the bone, which was found to be slightly affected. The President's case has been progressing satisfactorily, but it is believed by the physicians that the further operation made to-day will hasten his complete recovery. While none of the doctors is willing to be quoted, they have the most positive assurances that there is not the least cause for alarm and say that on the contrary there is every indication of a speedy recovery.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The physicians insist to-day that the condition of the President's wound gives no occasion for alarm. The President himself continues cheerful and seemingly regards the wound as a trivial matter.

TYPHOON AND TIDAL WAVE.

Five Hundred Lives Lost on the Coast of Japan—Steamers Ashore.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

YOKOHOMA, JAPAN, Sept. 29.—During the typhoon to-day a tidal wave swept the Odawara district, near here, and overwhelmed many houses. Five hundred persons are reported to have been drowned. The Japanese battleship Shikishima is ashore at Yokosuka, fifteen miles from Yokohoma. It is expected that she will be re-floated with slight damage. Several steamers were driven ashore here. Some of them have been re floated. It is feared that there have been many fatalities among the fishermen.

Two firemen were killed and an engineer was seriously injured in a freight wreck on the N. & W. railroad at Allegheny tank, thirty miles west of Roanoke, Va.

Stopped Into Live Coals.

"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesville, Va., "which caused horrible leg sores for thirty years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Sores, Bruises and Piles. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Only 25 cents. †

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DEMOCRATS OF THE EMPIRE STATE

Streets and Hotels of Saratoga Thronged With the Arriving Delegates.

STATE TICKET FORECASTED.

Devery's Arrival a Spectacular Feature. Former Senator Hill—The Platform. The Financial Plank—Trusts and Tariff Denounced.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SARATOGA, N. Y., September 29.—The simultaneous arrival late in the afternoon of five train loads of Democrats, mainly from Greater New York, adding to the coming in of the regular trains, on which were many more partisans, have to-night filled the streets and hotels of Saratoga.

The situation as to the State ticket, it may be briefly said, all depended this evening entirely on the selection of a governor and lieutenant governor and awaited a final decision as to those two offices. If Judge Parker was nominated and decided to accept, the ticket, it is thought, would read as follows: "For Governor, D. Alston Parker of Ulster, or Bird S. Coler of New York; for Lieutenant Governor, Randolph Guggenheim, of New York or Edwin S. Atwater, of Dutchess; Secretary of State, Duncan Lee of Ithaca; Attorney General, John Cunneen, of Erie; Comptroller, James H. Manning, of Albany; Engineer, R. W. Sherman, of Utica; Judge of the Court of Appeals, John C. Gray, of New York.

A Spectacular Feature.

The spectacular feature of the events connected with the incoming delegations was the arrival to-night of former chief of police William S. Devery, who comes at the head of the delegation from the Ninth district of New York city. He was given an enthusiastic reception by crowds of people who had long waited at the depot for the incoming of the "Big Chief" whose campaign for the leadership of the Ninth district was as sensational as was his defeat of John C. Sheehan and Frank J. Goodwin in that contest. The Ninth's delegation came in seven special cars and was escorted to the hotel by the reception committee headed by a brass band.

The Platform.

The arrival of former Senator Hill, Chairman Frank Campbell of the State committee, William Sulzer, Senator McCarren and other leaders to-day gave rise to discussion over probable and proposed planks in the platform to be adopted by the Democratic State Convention. William Hepburn Russell, Jacob A. Cantor, James P. Shevlin and some others are of the opinion that the platform should be brief and conservative, and while arraigning the Republican party should be so carefully constructed as not to pledge the Democratic party to policies that, if elected, it could not carry out without danger to corporations and individuals.

Former Senator Hill, after his arrival, said: "We have no slate, neither have we a programme. Every nomination, with the exception of Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals, which is generally conceded to Judge John Clinton Gray, is open. Every candidate will have a fair opportunity to present his claims and the men best fitted for the nominations will be selected."

The Financial Plank.

The only plank that is testing the capacity of the leaders in their desire to avoid friction is the financial plank. Those who two years ago were insistent upon the endorsement of the Kansas City-Chicago plank are equally so now. Representative Sulzer Norman E. Mack and others, who represented for years Mr. Bryan's interests, are insisting that the plank shall be out-spoken, but the other side of the controversy, led by Senator Hill, is urging that as the so-called "liberal Democracy" of the State has already filed a certificate of nomination of an independent State ticket on a free silver platform, this convention should declare for the old standard.

It was learned upon the best authority to-night, however, that the party platform will contain no allusion to the money question, and it is believed that all objections to this course will be withdrawn.

So far the platform contains these planks:

Trusts and Tariffs.

Trusts—Advocating Federal interference and control of the "great monopolies that threaten the people by controlling the prices of the necessities of life," denouncing the "meat trust," and "coal trust," specifically, and alleging that they are the results of maladministration of affairs by Republican administrators.

The Tariff—Calling for a revision of the tariff in the most complete form, taking the duty off such commodities as are necessary for public use, but protecting American working men where such protection is not inimical to the interest of the masses.

Philippines—Denouncing the acquisition of the Philippines and the continuance of military control, calling attention to the alleged lack of humanitarian methods in the conduct of the war, and demanding freedom for the inhabitants.

Cuba—Accusing the Federal government of failure to keep its promises in Cuba and in deceiving the people by announcing independence for the island and while still continuing military control.

The administration of President Roosevelt is condemned as "spectacular, undignified and vaccillating."

New Developments.

Three important facts were developed with regard to the Democratic State Convention late to-night. First, one of Judge Parker's particular friends, a neighbor and a former State committeeman from his district, brought Judge Parker's absolute refusal to accept a nomination for the governorship, even by acclamation; second, Hugh McLaughlin, of Brooklyn, arrived and took charge of the Kings county delegates in favor of Bird S. Coler; and third, a strong sentiment developed towards making Senator Hill the candidate.

At midnight it looked as if Senator Hill, controlling the convention, would have to nominate a candidate, who like Mr. Coler is strong with the up-state and Kings county delegates, or else the convention taking matters into its own hands will nominate Senator Hill. Mr. Hill when approached on the subject said he could not say anything about it.

J. M. Roberts, at Pensacola, Fla., for a number of years local freight agent of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, has been promoted to the double position of general freight agent of that company and general agent of the Gulf Transit Company, which handles all the exports from Pensacola of the L. & N. Company.

NEW ORLEANS STREET CAR EMPLOYES' STRIKE.

Only Mail Cars Moved—A Sympathetic Strike of Linemen—Will Interfere With Lighting the City.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 29.—The strike of the dissatisfied employes of the New Orleans Railway Company, which was inaugurated yesterday, continues without a break. Three mail cars were the only cars moved by the railroad company to-day. In the absence of trolley cars vehicles of all shapes, sizes and styles were brought into use during the day.

The linemen of the New Orleans and Carrollton Light and Power Company and also the linemen employed by the New Orleans Railroad Company, all members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, were ordered out on a sympathetic strike this afternoon. About 70 or 80 men are affected by the new strike.

The New Orleans Railway Company has notified the mayor that the strike of their linemen will seriously interfere with the lighting of the city after to-night. No breaks that may occur in any of the overhead electric lighting wires or any of the trolley wires can be fixed. The trimmers of the electric light department may continue at their work, but these cannot mend wires, according to the laws of their respective unions. Several disturbances between the strikers and officers have been reported.

NAVAL STORES COMBINE.

To Be Incorporated at Jacksonville, Fla., With Two Millions Capital.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., September 29.—The Consolidated Naval Stores Company will be incorporated in Jacksonville Wednesday, with a capital of $2,000,000. The concerns going into the combination are the Southern Naval Stores Company, Savannah; the Ellis Young Company, Savannah; the Downing Company, Brunswick; the Mutual Naval Stores Company, Jacksonville, and the West Coast Naval Stores Company, Pensacola. The combination will handle the output of five hundred producers in Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Mississippi.

BASEBALL.

Scores of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Baltimore, 5; Boston, 9.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 4.
Brooklyn, 5; New York, 2.

WARM WIRELETS.

Major E. P. McKissick, proprietor of the Battery Park Hotel, Asheville, N. C., died at St. Vincent's Hospital, Norfolk, Va., Sunday, of apoplexy.

Emile Zola, the novelist, who gained additional prominence in recent years because of his defence of the Jews and of former Captain Dreyfus, was found dead in his Paris home yesterday morning. Asphyxiation resulting from the fumes from a stove in his bed-room is given as the cause of death.

THE ARIZONA KICKER

BREEZY ITEMS OF NEWS TOLD BY A BUSY EDITOR.

The Editor of the Kicker Is a Man Who Wants Himself Understood and Is Always Ready to Back Up All That He Says.

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OUR people have been so busy this spring shooting jackass rabbits that the usual supply of poetry has fallen off in an alarming way.

Old Bill Hewson has been kicking mules out of his way for the last forty years and thought he had a cinch on the business, but last Sunday a critter gave him both hind feet at once and caved in six of his ribs and sent him into drydock for three months.

While we were instructing our sporting editor how to draw his gun the other day in one time and two motions our pistol was accidentally discharged, and he received a ball in the leg. His salary of $7 per week will be continued right along during his layoff.

Last week we stated that we had the highest respect for Colonel Chilvers of this town as a liar. The colonel objects to the language, and we therefore announce that we no longer respect him as a liar. If we can do anything further for him, he has only to say so.

While we were over at Pine Hill the other day on business there was a street riot in which over a hundred shots were fired, and yet the only damage was a bullet in the heel of a boy who was looking on and enjoying the fun. It is needless to observe that Pine Hill has no future before her.

When Jim McCoy left this town for New Mexico, we offered to bet him $5 even up that he'd be lynched within three months. Had Jim taken the wager he would have won. News was received the other day of his hanging, and it was just three months and a day. He was pulled up for horse stealing, and it is said that his farewell speech under the tree had a good deal of oratory in it.

They are considerate people even at Lone Jack. When they clap a man in jail, they furnish him with the works of Dickens and Dumas to help him pass the time away.

How to Iron Lace.

To iron lace pick it out while damp, lay it flat on the padded side of the board and lightly brush out the edges with a soft bristle brush. Lay a piece of thin muslin over it and iron until dry.

How to Make a Chest Protector.

To make a good and perfect chest protector take a piece of brown paper, lay on it half a sheet of wadding, and on top of this tack a pocket handkerchief, and it is ready for use.

Low Rates via Atlantic Coast Line.

To WASHINGTON.....$10 00
To NEW YORK..... 20 00
And return.

Tickets on sale Oct. 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, good to return until Oct. 15th.

Do not delay getting your Pullman accommodations. †

The Best Prescription for Malaria

Chills and Fevers is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price, 50c. sa tu th

TIGHT MONEY AND SLUMP IN STOCKS.

Rate for Call Loans Ran Up to Thirty-five Per Cent. on Wall Street.

PRICES OF STOCKS TUMBLED.

Decline Unchecked at the Close—L. & N. Sustained Greatest Loss—Deal With Atlantic Coast Line Confirmed. Shaw's Relief Measures

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—With call money up to 35 per cent., and other adverse circumstances, to-day's stock market received a severe shake up, net losses in many active issues ranging from two to ten per cent. The greatest loss was sustained by L. and N. Disappointment regarding the probable disposition of the road, as much as anything else, is supposed to have caused the break.

Other features that combined to unsettle the market were disquieting reports concerning the President's condition, the prolongation of the coal strike and the indubitable fact that London and the continent are unloading "Americans" in large blocks.

Practically all the money on call today came from trust companies and out of town corporations and private individuals. The banks of the Clearing House Association stood aloof and made virtually no loans for speculative purposes. Moreover the so-called substantial interests offered no support to the market, which with few exceptions, including Atchison and St. Paul, closed at the lowest level.

Financiers Conferring.

The offices of J. P. Morgan & Co. and other leading banking houses were active during the day. Mr. Morgan and his associates conferred with some of the more prominent financiers, including President Stillman of the National City Bank, President Baker of the First National Bank and President Hendrix of the National Bank of Commerce. None of these gentlemen would discuss the situation except to say that further liquidation of stocks would clarify the financial atmosphere.

The market opened weak and lower all around, London's attitude having a marked effect in that direction. Call money opened at 15 per cent., went off a point or so, but soon rose to 20. In the second hour of the afternoon session 25 per cent. was the quoted price and the top figure of the year—35 per cent.—was reached in the last half hour. It was on the late trading that prices melted most, and the decline was unchecked at the close.

L. & N. and the Coast Line.

Mr. Morgan was at his office till late in the afternoon. Asked his opinion regarding the outlook, he said:

"Things are very much better. In fact I think the situation was much better to-day. We paid out something like $12,000,000 in coupons. I believe the worst is over, but it may take some time for things to to settle."

"Do you think the stock market will be stronger to-morrow?"

"I am talking about the financial situation, not the stock market."

To one of his callers, Mr. Morgan is known to have declared that the control of the Louisville and Nashville would undoubtedly go to interests identified with the Atlantic Coast Company, which is the holding company of the Atlantic Coast Line. This disposition of the property will be made, so Mr. Morgan is reported to have said, without consultation with the Gates-Hawley interests in Louisville and Nashville, though it was not to be inferred that the deal would be opposed by Mr. Gates or Mr. Hawley. The price fixed for control is 150. Mr. Morgan could not or would not give further details, except to say that the Louisville and Nashville minority interest would be fully protected.

A Relief Measure.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, who was in New York to-night, has issued a statement in which he says that the banks will hereafter not be required to carry a reserve against government deposits secured by government bonds. This will make available to-morrow over $30,000,000.

How to Clean Wall Paper.

To clean wall paper without injury to its gloss or general effect take four ounces of pumice stone in fine powdered form and mix it with one quart of flour. When this has been thoroughly done with the hands add enough water to knead the mess into a thick dough. Form the dough into several rolls about as long as the width of each strip of wall paper and two inches in diameter. Wrap some white cotton cloth around each roll and stretch it in place; then boil about three-quarters of an hour. In that time the dough rolls are firm and the covering can be removed. Rub the soiled paper with these rolls. Not only will ordinary dirt spots be removed, but grease will be absorbed by them. After rubbing carefully dust the paper, and if more spots remain repeat the process.

How to Cure Bee Stings.

First pull the sting from the flesh, then bruise the fresh leaves of the common weed known as vervain and rub the wound well with them, after which bind to it a plaster of the crushed leaves well moistened, says The Ladies' Home Journal. This will prevent swelling and ease the pain. Vervain may be used in its dried state by steeping the leaves in hot water. It is gathered in September by negro nurses in the south and hung up to dry for winter use.

How to Clean Nickel Plate.

To clean the nickel plate of the bathroom a mixture of washing soda and ammonia may be used for the cleaning part, with a little thin whiting paste when it comes to the polishing. These fitments are easily kept clean and bright if treated once a week, but the surface once thoroughly clouded through neglect it will take many repeated rubbings to restore the original polish and brightness.

How to Use Ammonia.

In the spring cleaning ammonia plays a prominent part, but care must be taken to use it "mixed with brains." Nothing is more injurious to paint and varnish than ammonia, and if it is used in dilution to remove some specially stubborn spot its application should be immediately followed by a clean cloth wet in clear water.

How to Select Poultry.

To find out whether poultry is tender or otherwise pinch the skin. If it adheres to the flesh, the bird is tough; if it leaves the flesh, it is tender. Never parboil a turkey before roasting. It takes from the flavor of the meat.

Quality is what makes price. If Burnett's Vanilla Extract was no better than other extracts its price would be the same. Once tried always used.

SUMMER SPIRÆAS.

Spiræas Bloom From June to September—Varieties New and Old.

It would be very hard to get along without spiræas. One of the very first flowers of spring in the shrubbery is Spiræa thunbergii, the one with willowlike leaves and small white flowers. Following this is the famous old bridal wreath (Spiræa reevesii), and after this, if one has a collection of a dozen varieties, he need not be without spiræa flowers from early spring till October.

A lovely one for summer flowering (Spiræa bumalda) is a Japanese species and much to be recommended. Its first crop of flowers is produced in late June. They are in almost flat heads, rose or deep pink in color and usually are in such profusion as almost to hide the foliage. It is more than usually valuable because there is no other species of the same habit and color, and for the additional reason that if the flowers are cut off as they fade a new crop will come. In fact, with care to cut off dead blooms, there need be not a day from the advent of the first blossom to October without a flower.

Anthony Waterer, bearing almost crimson flowers, is a distinct and beautiful kind.

Mentioning the cutting away of the dead flowers of these spiræas reminds me to say that there are two or three sorts of this genus with handsome, upright, fingerlike spikes of pink flowers, and these are mainly summer bloomers. Paniculata, nobleana, douglassi and lindleyana are some of them. These flower from July till September, and when properly understood blooming may be prolonged by a little pruning, performed as soon as the first flowers fade. The cutting back of about half of the shoot will cause strong ones to break from near the base, and from these good flowers come late in the season.

While mentioning kinds I would say that the old sort (reevesii, especially in its double form) is still indispensable. The double flowers are much more lasting than the single ones and are more called for for decorating purposes. But for gracefulness of habit there is one (Van Houttei) very much superior to it. The branches droop gracefully, which when loaded with their white flowers make the bush that bears them one of the very prettiest of the season. — Joseph Meehan in Country Gentleman.

HOW TO EXCLUDE MOTHS.

Some Valuable Pointers About These Destructive Insects.

When the habits of moths are understood, they can be more effectually prevented. The moth millers make their appearance in early spring. They are torpid during the day, but are very active in the evening. During May and June they deposit their eggs in dark places. When a moth miller has laid its quota of eggs, it dies. The eggs are very small and are hatched in about two weeks.

The young worm begins its destructive work at once and continues until cold weather, says What to Eat. It is torpid and harmless during the winter. In late winter it changes into a chrysalis and later into a winged moth. If these winged moths are not allowed to enter the house to deposit their eggs, there will be no trouble with moths. The window and door screens should be placed in the windows and doors early in the season and a close watch kept for the moth miller.

Moths always work in the dark. Furs and woolen clothing have a special attraction for them, and a soiled garment or a dirty spot on a garment will attract them; hence every garment should be clean when it is put away for the summer. Furs and all woolen clothing that are not needed during the summer should be hung out in the open air and gently beaten and well brushed and then wrapped in newspapers with plenty of camphor gum. Newspapers are good for wrapping about clothing, because the printers' ink is offensive to the moths. When wrapped, put in a cedar chest. If a cedar chest is not obtainable, use an ordinary box and paste thick paper around the edges. Woolen garments that require washing should be washed and packed away in the same manner. It is a good plan to write on the box the names of the different garments placed inside.

When the carpets are taken up in the spring, the floor should be washed to remove the dust, then washed in water to which turpentine has been added in the proportion of a tablespoonful to each quart of water, care being taken not to neglect the cracks and places where heavy pieces of furniture are placed. When dry, sprinkle ground black pepper along the baseboards.

The Two Orphans.

Two little girls leaned over the fence that incloses the playground of the Little Wanderers' home, says The Christian Register.

"Oh, my!" said one. "Don't they have a good time? If I should be an orphan, I am coming here."

"Oh," said the other, "the one at Roxbury is ever so much better. I would go there if I were an orphan."

"I wouldn't," replied little girl No. 1, "'cause in this one I'd be near papa and mamma."

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ **NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 30 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.**

Wanted—At once three or four rooms suitable for housekeeping. J. C., care STAR. sep 30 1t

Piano Lessons—I will reopen my Piano, Harmony and Theory Classes October 1st. Address or apply to Alfred B. Yopp, 415 Grace street. sep 30 1w

Traveller Wanted—To sell country grocers. $75.00 and expenses. Los Angeles Cider Co., St. Louis Mo. sep 28 2t*

For Sale—Berkshire Pigs and Brown Leghorn Chickens. The very best. L. L. Sellers, Wilmington, N. C. sep 28 to ja 1

B. F. Mills' Dyeing, Cleaning and Repair Establishment, No. 25 North Second street, will be open October 1st. All work guaranteed. Bring your old clothes and have them made new. Economy is the road to wealth. sep 28 tf

Fletcher music method. (Simplex and Kindergarten) classes, will open Saturday, October Fourth, at 4 P. M at 502 South Front street. For particulars apply to Mrs. G. J. McMillan, 502 South Front street. Miss Fannie K. Corbett, 209 Walnut street. sep 27 4t sa tu th sa

Miss Leonora Cantwell will on October 21st open her dancing class in Hibernian Hall, at 3.30 o'clock, giving instruction in the latest steps and fancy dancing. sep 26 tf

Furniture repaired, cleaned, polished and upholstered. Antique furniture made as good as new. J. F. Murphy, 107 North Third street, Zimmerman's headquarters for wall paper. sep 25 1m

For Rent—From October 1st, three-story building No. 108 Market street, at present occupied by Mr. I. L. Greenewald, the well known "shoe man." Also, store No. 114 Market street, at present occupied by Messrs. B. F. Penny & Co., clothiers and gents' furnishers. Both stores are situated on the south side of Market street, near the S. E. corner of Market and Front; one of the best business locations in the city, suitable for any kind of business. Plate glass fronts. Terms reasonable. Apply to B. H. J. Ahrens. jy 15 tf

Notice—Call up A. S. Winstead for fresh vegetables, Berries, Peaches, Eggs, Butter, Lemons, Bananas, &c. I will do my best to please all. Bell 'Phone 203; Inter-State 'Phone 220. A. S. Winstead, No. 213 Market street. je 13 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs and Furniture repaired, cleaned and revarnished; Upholstering done also. H. J. Grunman's headquarters for Wall Paper. J. B. Farrar, No. 214 North Second street. my 16 tf

Good Crops AND GOOD PRICES

Make the Farmers Happy.

And this makes everybody happy.

There will be money to spend this Fall and Winter. So call and see us when you need goods in our line. We carry a heavy stock of

Hardware, Agricultural Implements, Cutlery, Tinware, &c.

J. W. Murchison & Co.,

sep 16 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Cotton Ties and Bagging

Are now the order of the day.

Don't make any contract until you get our prices. We offer, besides all kinds of

Heavy Groceries, Canned Goods, Grain, Hay, Nails, Lime and Cement

Prices low for cash.

THE WORTH CO.,

jy 4 tf Wilmington, N. C.

SUNDAY SWEETS!

WHERE?

At Plummer's

209 Princess street.

AND WHAT?

Fresh standard Candies and all kinds of Fruits.

His Ice Cream

Is the best in the city and remember, there's only a few more Ice Cream days left. sep 27 tf

Bulbs, Bulbs, Bulbs

Received to-day. Hyacinth, Crocus, Freesias, Narcissus, Tulip, and Oxalis Bulbs. They are the very best imported bulbs. Plant early and get best results.

J. H. HARDIN'S

Palace Pharmacy.

P. S.—New Crop Lawn Grass Seed. sep 23 tf

Just Received.

New lot Library Lamps. A beautful lot of Pictures; Enamel Beds from $3.75 up. Nice Line Rockers, Trunks and Stoves. New lot Felt Mattresses. Come and see us and get our prices. We guarantee to undersell any firm in the city.

GASTON D. PHARES & CO.

Inter-State 'Phone 76. 110-112 Market street. sep 14 tf

Finest of the Season.

New Catch

MULLETS.

We can fill your orders promptly.

HALL & PEARSALL.

Incorporated.

sep 17 tf

I Offer to the Trade

Penny Candies, all styles; Broken Stick Candy, Smoked Herring, Cakes and Crackers, Sardines, Potted Ham, Rice, all grades of Molasses, and complete line of Groceries. Prices and samples furnished on application. Merchants visiting the city will do well to inspect my stock.

SAM'L BEAR, Sr.,

Wilmington, N. C.

apr 27 tf 118 Market street

SELECT SCHOOL.

Mary L. Alderman, - - Principal.

Fall term begins on October 6th, 1902. Boys and girls are carefully prepared for college. Special attention is paid to young children. Night class in Shorthand and Typewriting Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. For further particulars apply to

PRINCIPAL,
No. 15 South Fourth street.
sep 26 4t su we fr sa

WANTED.

Able bodied reliable men to work in dyehouse. Wages 90 cents per day.

THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL AND TEXTILE COLORING CO.

sep 27 1w

THE OLD RELIABLE.

We are well supplied with competent barbers now; but we can accommodate a few more customers to whom we guarantee the very best attention. Call at the old Prempert headquarters.

GUION & DAVIS,
7 South Front St.
sep 9 tf

The Critical Judges of Style

say we are entitled to the premium for the most complete stock in the city. The first floor contains the leading Novelties of the season with daily arrivals of the rarest things in

DRESS GOODS AND LININGS.

Why deal out cheap stuff if you can sell finer goods; times are too good.

Table Damask.

Tome twenty-five to thirty pieces—in white and cream. We wish you to see them; the patterns, quality and prices will astonish you.

The Domestic Stock is full of such staples as you will need. So many are saying such nice things about our

Carpets and Rugs, and Mattings

too, enough to cover the town.

Pleating & Fluting

is done by us at moderate prices.

"American Lady" and "Her Majesty" and other Corsets, in all sizes. Butterick Patterns. Respectfully,

A. D. BROWN.

sep 28 tf

Rehder's Rehder's

Store closes daily at 7 P. M., Saturday excepted.

Hundreds of cases of New Winter Goods received the past week to go on sale Monday at 8 A. M.

Mohair Venetian Cloth, 50-inch wide, in black only, $1.50.
Mohair Armure, 44-inch wide, in black only, $1.50.
Pebble Cheviot, 56-inch wide, in black only, $1.00.
Armure Cloth, 44 inch wide, in Tan, French, Blue and Tobacco Brown, 98c.
Beautiful Corded Velvets for Waists and full suits, 22-inch wide, special at 75c.

J. H. REHDER & CO.

Watch for announcement of date of

Fall & Winter Opening.

sep 28 tf

October 1st Is Coming!

And you better purchase one or more of those

Leather Seat Rockers,

Oak or Mahogany Finish at $1.50.

Iron Beds With Rails at Cost.

See us and we will make prices O. K.

THE SNEED CO.,

sep 19 tf Second and Market Streets.

COAL, COAL, COAL.

We are prepared to offer to the public Domestic Lump Coal in any quantity at the following prices:

VIRGINIA LUMP $4 25 per ton.
RED JACKET LUMP AND EGG $5 50 per ton.
TENNESSEE SPLINT $6.00 per ton.

Also have on hand Oak, Ash, Pine and Lightwood.
Satisfaction and prices guaranteed to meet all competition.
Bell 'Phone No. 645. Inter-State No. 72.
Ring us up when in need of fuel.

The Coal, Cement and Supply Co.,

sep 21 tf 214 South Front Street.

Furniture, Furniture.

HIGH GRADE---ARTISTIC.

In buying I consider quality FIRST, price SECOND, hence I have nothing shoddy—EVERYTHING well made and of lasting quality.

Being the largest buyer in the city manufacturers give me exclusive sale, and special figures, thus enabling me to offer better goods at less prices than any dealer in North Carolina My prices are for spot cash, but to reliable people I will sell on terms suited to their convenience.

MEDIUM---CHEAP.

N. F. PARKER,

Furniture and Furniture Novelties, 111 Market St.

Bell 'Phone 613. Inter-State 421.
sep 28 tf D&W

STATEMET OF CONDITION

Atlantic National Bank.

Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business September 15th, 1902. (Organized 1892.)

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 991,101 23	Capital	$ 125,000 00
Bonds	286,966 13	Surplus and profits	146,192 33
Real Estate	30,000 00	Circulation	99,100 00
Cash in Vault and in other Banks	343,689 84	Deposits	1,285,408 40
	$1,651,760 73		$1,651,760 73

The assets of the Atlantic National Bank are larger than any other Bank in North Carolina. sep 21 tf

October 1st

Is the beginning of our regular interest quarter. Deposits made on or before that date will draw 4 per cent. per annum, compounded quarterly. Make your deposit now and receive a full quarter's interest on January 1st.

The People's Savings Bank,

Opposite the Postoffice,

H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
sep 21 F. W. DICK, Cashier.

A Word to the Wise

"It is the savings of individuals which compose the wealth—in other words, the well being—of every nation. On the other hand, it is the wastefulness of individuals which occasions the impoverishment of States. So that every thrifty person may be regarded as a public benefactor, and every thriftless person as a public enemy."

Deposits made on or before October 1st in the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company (the largest and strongest savings bank in the State) will bear interest from that date.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.,

108 Princess Street.

J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President.
sep 18 tf C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.